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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 12, line 66, after "intact cell," please insert --in a tissue sample--.

Column 13, line 1, after "heating the tissue", please delete "or cell".

Column 13, line 2 and 3, after "Her-2/neu DNA;", please insert --enzymatically digesting the tissue in the tissue sample;--.

Column 13, line 4, after "contacting," please delete "said" and insert --the-- and after "tissue", please delete "or cell".

Column 14, line 2, after "duplex", please insert --in the nucleus of the cell in the tissue sample--.


Column 14, line 3, after "nucleus of the", please delete "intact".

Column 14, line 3, after "cell", please insert --in the tissue sample--.

Column 14, line 4, after "other copies of", please delete "said chromosomal target nucleic acid sequence" and insert --the Her-2/neu gene--.

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